

## Graduation

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contributed to her educational experience and taught her and her classmates to be people-wise.

Valedictorian Leslie Jones thanked CHS for her excellent education, which enabled her to be able to pick and choose from an array of colleges. The Advanced Placement courses she studies also enabled her to gain some college credit ahead of time. What she learned about people, she said in agreement with Darilynn, was learned by playing by the rules.

Leslie called the shots as she saw them. Take home exams were a grave mistake, she cautioned. The independent student who worked on his or her own may not fare as well, unjustly so, as those who huddled heads together and came away with the better grade. Leslie also admonished the lack of consistant standard for guidance and the existence of unenforceable rules, such as, 'No smoking in the schools.' The answer, she recommended, was to give students their freedom gradually.

Cohasset High School is at a disadvantage, she said, in that one building is used to serve

as the educational home of people ranging in age from 12 to 18 years. The three "R's" are great, she said, but there should be two more "R's" — rights and responsibility, at varying levels to satisfy the needs of the disparity in ages of CHS youngsters.

"Be proud," Leslie concluded, "but don't be content."

Cohasset High School Principal Richard Streeter awarded the National Honor Society students with plaques for their scholastic achievements, their character and contributions to the school. Arthur Glasfeld, National Merit Scholar, and Leslie Jones, National Merit Commended Scholar, received extra bouquets of recognition and admiration.

Superintendent John Maloney thanked the 1979 class for all their contributions and added a work of advice for their personal futures. Take your time in choosing a mate, Maloney advised, and quoted the 50 per cent failure rate of marriages over the past few years. He suggested that this new crop of young men and women try to change the trend. Maloney then presented Jack Langmaid, Chairman of the School Committee, who



GRADUATION TEMPO was provided by CHS Band directed by Tony Hyde.

after a few words of congratulations, got down to the business of presenting the diplomas.

Seniors refrained from holding their applause until all had been presented diplomas, and each recipient received his or her own private ovation. The day belonged to them.



CONGRATULATIONS are offered as School Supt. John Maloney presents Class of 1979.

## Sr, Jr, High Awards

The following are awards and scholarships:

American Legion, George H. Mealy Post #118, Marianne Burke, Claire Carey, Jocelyn Kennedy; American Legion Auxiliary, Jonathan Foell; August F. Petersen Memorial Award, David Gunville; Bausch & Lomb Award, Leslie Jones; Cohasset Courtside Club, Paul Farren, Thomas Higgins, John Howley, William O'Brien, Matthew Salerno, Richard Tebbets; Cohasset Democratic Town Committee "Joseph P. Walsh, II Mem. School", Robert Baird; Cohasset Firemens' Benefit Assoc., Mark Young; Cohasset Gridiron Club, Brian Conlan, Joseph Durkin, Diane Maloney, Daniel Prendergast, William Roy, Matt Salerno; C.H.S. Student Council, David

Gunville, Mark Young; Cohasset Jaycees scholarship, Gerda Cahill, James Vivian, Mark Young; and Cohasset Policemens' Association, Patrick Plante, Jr.

Also, Cohasset Rotary Club Prize Awards, Leslie Jones, Darilynn O'Neill; Cohasset Rotary Club Scholarships, Gerda Cahill, Brian Conlan, Barbara Curelli, David Gunville, Jocelyn Kennedy, William Roy, Matthew Salerno, Andrew Trask, Mark Young; Cohasset/Scituate Newcomers, Pamela Russell; D.A.R. Good Citizen Award, David Gunville; "Hot Sullivan" Award, Thomas Higgins, Diane Maloney; Janice Realy Memorial Scholarship, Gerda Cahill, Mary Anne White; John Hancock Business Award, Linda Ryan, Dinah

Souther; and National Merit \$1,000.00 scholarship, Leslie Jones.

Also, Nichols Fund Scholarship, Leslie Jones; Parents' Council METCO Scholarship, Keith Rlsm, Elam, Carla Latson, Jerome Turner, Cheryl Wilmoth, Tracy Young; Quincy Cooperative Bank, Ruthann Sargent; Rockland Trust Company, Mark Young; Satuit Veterans of Foreign Wars, Ellen Figueirido, Barbara Taylor; South Shore Lodge #1850-sons of Italy, Michael Maello; Tauno Rivers Award, Ruthann Sargent; Women's Auxiliary of the Norfolk South District Medical Society, Gerda Cahill; Attendance Awards (one year, 1978-1979) Lauren Carroll, Sandra Stover.

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